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# HERMANN GRAPE NURSERIES



THE HAPPY HOME

WHERE GRAPES GROW

ESTABLISHED 1897

## ED. KEMPER & CO.

PROPRIETORS

HERMANN, MISSOURI

## Please Read Carefully

**CORRESPONDENCE** solicited in English and German.

**PACKING.** no charge for mail goods delivered *aper. f. o. b. cars* or express office at Hermann, Mo. Our packing is the very best, boxes and boxes paper lined.

**EARLY ORDERS** are sometimes necessary to secure the special variety and get stock in time.

**SUBSTITUTION.** When orders come in late it is customary, should the supply of a variety become exhausted, we will occasionally send you all our recommendations to substitute in its place a similar one, if that is what you always believe in. Should it be desirable for you to do this, please state "No Substitution" on your order.

**TRUE TO NAME.** We are the greatest care to have all our vines reliable and true to name and will on proper request replace anything that may not come true to name. It is mutually agreed between the purchaser and ourselves that we shall not at any time be held responsible for loss of the coloring coat of vines.

**TERMS.** All orders must be paid in advance of C. O. D. and with periods of advance, and we then are subject to cancellation. We will not be held responsible for any loss of order that may come from our cancellation. We will then pay the return freight or express charges and return the full amount of the price we originally paid.

**REMITTANCE.** We accept except the sum less than \$100.00. We also accept personal checks or money orders, but sometimes we do not ship before we receive a return check, therefore a direct money order is better.

**REFERENCE.** Hermann, Mo. Hermann, Mo. We write a reference in your neighborhood once these ordered from us before and have never been doing the past twenty years.

**PERSONS UNACQUAINTED** with the different varieties can get the attention to us, in which case we select is planting for our vines.

**PLANTING TIME.** we take from the first of October till the second of May. In spring, March, April and May.

In fall you do not think it good to dig until leaves are killed by a frost.



**SPECIAL OFFER "A."**

For 45c we will send one each of the following varieties: Concord, Moore's Early, Martha, Niagara, Brighton and Dry Hill Beauty.

**SPECIAL OFFER "B."**

For 80c we will send two each of the following: Concord, Moore's Early, Martha, Niagara, Brighton and Dry Hill.

**SPECIAL OFFER "C."**

For \$1.00 we will send one each of the following: Dry Hill, Perkins, Norton's, Martha, Aroma, Concord, Niagara, Ives, Catawba, Moore's Early, Elvira and Marsala.

**SPECIAL OFFER "D."**

For \$1.50 we will send two each of the following varieties: Moore's Early, Worden, Concord, Norton's Virginia Seedling, Ives (all black), Niagara, Martha (yellow), Dry Hill, Marsala, Perkins (red); Elvira and Missouri Riesling (white).

**SPECIAL OFFER "E."**

For \$1.75 we will send one each of every variety that we have on our Price List.

**EXPLANATION.** We have to make the following descriptive list short. If we say, "subject to rot," it is to be understood in this locality here; now if you want to select for your planting and don't know much about varieties, but know the old Concord and how it does in your locality, be governed by this: if the Concord is subject to rot in your locality, you may be quite sure that all the other varieties that are marked subject to rot will do so, too. Of course, on an orchard or building, etc., no variety will rot except the weather is very favorable for rot, but in a vineyard this is entirely different. Rot, however, can easily be controlled by spraying with Bordeaux Mixture, just before and after blooming. (4 pounds blue vitriol, 4 pounds lime, in 50 gallons water.) All young grape vines that we list will grow up without any attention, regarding insects; they have no enemies like the young fruit trees. If you want to know more about any special variety write us. We will cheerfully answer fair questions.



## Descriptive List

2. DRY HILL BEAUTY. (Unpublished) 1962. 100% *Chamaecrista*.  
Mo., about 1962. A chance seedling. It is a distinct and unique  
known as DRY HILL, hence the name. Flower buds open early and  
healthy; very productive; fruit free of seeds and blemishes; grows  
good grower; not subject to rot.

**DIAMOND**, designated by Jacob Moore of Brighton, N. Y., in 1870. It being in 1869 patented by J. H. White; leafy produce the common shape; medium-sized; from first solid growth; subject to rot.

**ELYSIA**, designated by Jacob Moore of Brighton, Mo., in 1871. Sprouting of 1870, which has been patented by Matthias Moore, presently. All seasons it has yielded very short. White; very early and large; medium-sized; mostly berries medium; ripens very early. Soil very rich and moist.

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